

"...[it] is that American spirit, that American promise, that pushes us forward even when the path is uncertain; that binds us together in spite of our differences; that makes us fix our eye not on what is seen, but what is unseen, that better place around the bend."

US President Barack Obama



"Everyone has the right to live free from discrimination. Help us ensure that our beautiful Commonwealth of Kentucky is a place that we are all proud to call home. If you feel you may be a victim of housing discrimination, please contact the Kentucky Commission on Human Rights."

Kentucky Governor Steven Beshear



"Now is the time to make real the promise of democracy. Now is the time to rise from the dark and desolate valley of segregation to the sunlit path of racial justice."

Reverend Martin Luther King, Jr.

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## CHAMPION THE RIGHT TO FAIR HOUSING

Throughout the spring of 1967, people in Kentucky marched to demand a law ending housing discrimination. Efforts like this resulted in passage of the US and Kentucky Fair Housing Acts in 1968. In the above photo, this march through a Louisville neighborhood was led by Rev. Leo Lesser, Louisville and Jefferson County Human Relations Commission associate director and Southern Christian Leadership Conference Kentucky Chapter president, and Rev. James Crumlin, Kentucky Conference of NAACP Branches president.

## The Kentucky Commission on Human Rights

For information about the right to Fair Housing, contact us at 1 (800) 292-5566 or visit the website at www.kchr.ky.gov.